Following Institutions have been supported during the last two years under the Employment Generation Training Scheme (EGTS) in the State of Meghalaya for conducting DOEACC 'O' Level as per the details given below:

(i) St. Anthony College, Shillong—'A' Level—Rs. 17.6 lakhs

(ii) St. Edmund College Shillong—'O' Level—Rs. 11.00 lakhs.

Government control over private computer institutes

†557. SHRI BAL KAVI BAIRAGI: Will the Minister of INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether various institutions have asked Government to enact necessary laws for information technology courses in private computer institutions;

(b) if so, whether besides enacting necessary laws, it is being considered to have Government control over these institutions for keeping a check on the increasing number of such institutions who ploy dream of being information technology experts;

(c) if so, by when; and

(d) if not, how long these private institutions would keep on playing with the future of students in the country?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN): (a) No such proposal was received to enact necessary laws for Information Technology courses in private computer institutions.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

International policy against hacking of Government sites

558. SHRI R.P. GOENKA: Will the Minister of INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to stale:

(a) whether Government are aware of the fact that there have been a s of hackings of Government and important corporate websites.

(b) whether it is also a fact that presently there is no international with penal force to enforce the States to comply with some basic intern

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.